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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

SCHACHAM, ET AL.,

**APPLICATION NO.: 09/877,655** 

FILED: JUNE 8, 2001

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

**ENHANCING NETWORK SECURITY** 

**PROTECTION SERVER PERFORMANCE** 

EXAMINER:

SIMITOSKI, M.

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## Transmittal of Amendment and Response to Office Action

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- 2. **Entity Status** 
  - Applicants claim Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.19 and § 1.27).
- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: 3.

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time, if necessary, for timely submission of this transmittal and enclosures.

Applicants request a one-month extension of time.

### 4. <u>Provisional Fee Authorization</u>

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted, Perkins Coie LLP

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#### AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.